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G.O. No. 493

Dated 19-2-48

[Despatch Abstract.]

Medical Examination - Glycosuria Candidates - Examination by Medical Boards Revised procedure - ordered.

No.7-19-47-MII.
Government of India
Ministry of Health.

New Delhi, the 10th December 1947.

From

Harbans Singh, Esq.,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India.

To

All Provincial Governments and Chief Commissioners.

Sub : Examination by Medical Boards of Glycosurial candidates - Procedure for.

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Director General of Health Services has suggested the following procedure for dealing with the cases of the examination by Medical Boards of Candidates suffering from Glycosurial:-

Where a Medical Board finds sugar present in a candidate's urine by the Chemical tests, the Board will proceed with the examination in all its other aspects and will also specially note any signs or symptoms suggestive of diabetes. If, except for the glycosuria the Board finds the candidate conforms with the standard of medical fitness required they may pass the candidate "fit subject to the glycosuria being non-diabetie" and the Board will refer the case to a specified Specialist in Medicine who has hospital and laboratory facilities at his disposal. The Medical Specialist will carry out whatever examinations, clinical and laboratory, he considers necessary including a standard blood sugar tolerance test, and will submit his opinion to the Medical Board, upon which the Medical Board will base its final opinion, "fit" or "unfit". The candidates will not be required appear in person before the Board on the second occasion. The exclude the effects of medication it may be necessary to retain candidates for serveral days in hospital.

The da expenditure involved which will consist of the following should be borne by the candidate concerned:-

(a) Medical Specialist's fee,

(b) Hospital accommodation fee, which will mean special ward accommodation in accordance with the category of the post being applied for,

(c) Laboratory fees for blood sugar tests and any other tests called for by the Medical Specialists.

I am to suggest that if there is no objection, the above procedure may be followed by the Provincial medical boards.
your

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Sd. xxxxxxxx
Assistant Secretary.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

Abstract.

MEDICAL EXAMINATION - Glycosurial candidates - Examination by Medical Boards - Revised procedure - Ordered.

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Education and Public Health Department.

G.O.NO. MS. 493. Dated 19th February 1948.

Read the following:-

* 1) Letter from the Government of India, No.7-19/47-MII, dated 10-12-47.
2) Letter from the Surgeon General, No. 54349-E2/47, dated 29-1-48.

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O R D E R:

The Government direct that the following procedure shall be followed by the Medical Boards in this Province in the Examination of candidates suffering from Glycosuria.

Where a Medical Board finds sugar present in a candidate's urine by the usual chemical tests, the Board will proceed with the examination in all its other aspects and will also specially note any signs or symptoms suggestive of diabetes. If except for the glycosuria the Board finds the candidate conforms with the standard of medical fitness required they may pass the candidate "fit subject to the glycosuria being non-diabetic" and the Board will refer the case to a specified Specialist in Medicine who has hospital and laboratory facilities at his disposal. The Medical Specialist will carry out whatever examinations, clinical and laboratory, he considers necessary including a standard blood sugar tolerance test, and will submit his opinion to the Medical Board, upon which the Medical Board, will base its final opinion "fit" or "unfit" The candidate will not be required appear in person before the Board on the Second occasion. To exclude the effects of medication it may be necessary to retain candidate for several days in hospital.

The expenditure involved which will consist of the following should be borne by the candidate concerned:-

(a) Medical Specialist's fee,

(b) Hospital accommodation fee, which will mean special ward accommodation in accordance with the category of the post being applied for,

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(c) Laboratory fees for blood sugar tests and any other tests called for by the Medical Specialist.

The Sugeon General is requested to issue necessary instructions to the Medical Officers.

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

Sd. xxxxxxxx
9-2-48.
Secretary to Government.

To the ~~Sugeon~~ Surgeon General
" " Accountant General through Finance.
" " Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Health, with covering letter.

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Education and Public Health (G2) Department.

Letter/Ref.No. 18515/48-1G2, Public Health Dated 30-3-48.

To

The Assistant Secretary to the Government of India,
Ministry of Health, New Delhi.

Sir,

MEDICAL EXAMINATION - Glycosurial candidates - Revised Procedure - Clarification of.
Your Letter No.7-19/47-M.II dated 10th December 1947.

With reference to your letter cited above, I am directed to enquire whether the intention is that the new procedure for the medical examination of Glycosurial candidates laid down therein should be followed by Medical Boards in the case of candidates for public services only or whether it should be followed in the cases of all other candidates who come up for medical examination irrespective of the purpose for which the medical examination is conducted. I am also to request the favour of a very early reply.

Y.O.S.

Sd. x x x
27.3.1948.

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No.F.7-19/M.II.
Government of India.
Ministry of Health.

New Delhi, the 2nd June 1948.

From -

Harbans Singh, Esquire,
Assistant Secretary to the Government of India,

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Education and Public Health Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

Sub: Medical Examination - Glycosurial candidates - Revised Procedure - Clarification of.

Sir,

With reference to Shri T. Govinda Menon's letter No.18515/48-1 G.2 Public Health, dated the 30th March, 1948, on the subject mentioned above, I am directed to say that there is no objection to the procedure laid down in this Ministry's letter No.F.7-19/47-M.II, dated the 10th December, 1947, being followed by Medical Boards at their ~~purpo~~ discretion, wherever necessary, irrespective of the purpose of the medical examination.

I am to add that the extra expenditure involved should be borne by the candidate concerned in cases where the fee of the Medical Board is borne by him. e.g. (i) to obtain a certificate of physical fitness required as a condition ~~certifie~~ precedent to appointment, (ii) for commutation of pension etc. In other cases such as obtaining a certificate of physical fitness before confirmation in Government service or for the purpose of grant of leave on medical grounds, where no fee is paid by the Government Servant to the Medical Board, the expenditure should be borne by Government.

p.t.o.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
Sd. x x x
Assistant Secretary.

Education and Public Health. G2.
Endorsement 18515/48-2 G2, Public Health, dated 11.6.1948.

~~For information and guidance communicated to the Surgeon General~~
Communicated to the Surgeon General for information and guidance in continuation of this department letter No.18515/48-1G2 Public Health dated 30-8-1948.

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No.F. 7- 96/50- MII
Government of India.
Ministry of Health.

New Delhi, the 28th November, 1950.

From

J.N. Saksena, Esquire, B.A.,
Under Secretary to the Government of India.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Health Department, Madras.

Subject: Medical Examination-Glycosurial candidates - Revised procedure.

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Sir,

In partial modification of this Ministry's letter No.F. 7/19/47-MII dated the 2nd June, 1948, I am directed to say that the Government of India have now decided that in all cases including those, such as obtaining, a certificate of physical fitness before confirmation in Government service or for the purpose of grant of leave on medical grounds, where no fee is paid by the Government servant to the Medical Boards, the extra expenditure involved in the procedure suggested therein, should be borne by the candidate concerned.

Yours faithfully,

Sd. x x x
Under Secretary.

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Health (HS)

Endorsement No. 42976 H/50-1, Health, dated 5-12-50.

Communicated to the Surgeon General in continuation of Government Endorsment No. 18515/48-2 G2 Public Health, dated 11-6-48.

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4-12-50.

To the Surgeon General.

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